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NOTIFICATION.

No. L.D. 653—Legis. 5-52-40, dated Bangalore, 4th July 1952.

Ordered that Notification No. S.R.O. 959, dated the 26th May 1952, of the Ministry of Communications amending the Indian Post Office Rules, 1933, published in the *Gazette of India*, Part II, Section 3, dated the 31st May 1952, be republished in the *Mysore Gazette*, for general information.

By Order of His Highness the Maharaja,

N. R. JAYA RAO,
Legal Remembrancer and
Secretary to Government,
Law Department.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS.

Posts and Telegraphs.

New Delhi, the 26th May 1952.

S.R.O. 959.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 43 of the Indian Post Office Act, 1898 (VI of 1898), the Central Government hereby directs that the following further amendment shall be made in the Indian Post Office Rules, 1933, namely:—

For rule 125 of the said Rules, the following rule shall be substituted, namely:—

"125. If the payee of a money order cannot be found or if the payee refuses to take payment on presentation of the money order to him, the amount of the money order shall be returned at once to the remitter, free of charge:

Provided that if the payee while refusing to take payment on presentation of the money order to him, makes an application in writing to the post office of delivery for the detention of the money order for a period not exceeding seven days, the money order shall be detained in the post office for a period of seven days from the date of its presentation to the payee and if the payee fails to take payment of the money order from the post office within the said period of seven days, the money order shall be returned to the remitter on the first working day immediately following the expiry of the said period of seven days;

Provided further that the commission shall in no case be refunded."

[C-40-8/51.]

K. V. VENKATACHALAM, *Dy. Secy.*